

REMARKS

Claims 1-37 are pending in the subject application. In the outstanding Action, the Patent Office requires restriction between group I (claims 1-15 and 36-37), group II (claim 16), group III (claims 17-22 and 35) and group IV (claims 23-34).

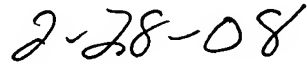
In reply, Applicants elect group I (claims 1-15 and 36-37).

Favorable consideration and allowance is respectfully requested. Should any unresolved issue remain, the examiner is invited to call Applicants' attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

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